



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Ranatunge et al**

Application No: **10/608,333**

Group Art Unit: **1625**

Filed: **June 30, 2003**

Examiner: **T. Solola**

For: **Oxime and/or Hydrozone Containing Nitrosated and/or Nitrosylated  
Cyclooxygenase-2 Selective Inhibitors, Compositions, and Methods of Use**

Attorney Docket No: **102258.153 US2**

**ATTN: BOX ISSUE FEE**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.312**

The Examiner is thanked for allowing the above-identified application. While reviewing the examiner's amendments mailed November 30, 2006, Applicants noticed that an amendment to claim 90, parallel to the examiner's amendments to claims 89 and 91, should be made to correct its dependency in view of the cancellation of claim 88. Applicants submit herewith amendments to the claims to specifically amend claim 90. Claim 89 has also been editorially amended to delete two words that have become extraneous as a result of the examiner's amendment to the claim. No issues of new matter should arise and entry thereof is respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.**

**Remarks begin on page 27.**

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